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In re new U.S. patent application of : Mail Stop: **Missing Parts**
Matthias LOEFFLER, et al. :
Serial No.: 10/817,371 :
Filed: 04/02/2004 :
For: Process For The Preparation Of Stable Polymer Concentrates

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

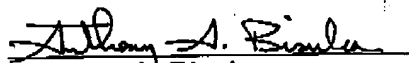
Mail Stop Missing Parts
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application dated June 21, 2004, submitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application is the executed Declaration. A copy of the PTO form is also enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the surcharge due (37 CFR 1.16(e)) in the amount of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 03-2060. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any fee deficiency asserted to be paid, or which should have been paid herewith, or with any paper hereafter filed in this application and credit any fee overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2060.

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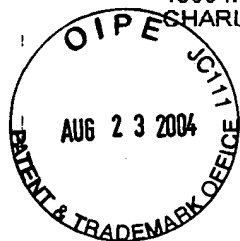
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*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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